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METHOD AND APPARATUS FOR ALERTING A STATION IN ONE NETWORK OF A REQUESTED

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## INFORMATION DISCLOSURE UNDER 37 CFR 1.97(b)

## SIR:

Under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.97(b), and in accord with Applicants' duty of disclosure under 37 CFR 1.56, Applicants would like to call the Examiner's attention to the documents cited on the attached form PTO-1449. A copy of each of these references is attached.

Applicants also call the Examiner's attention to the European Search Report filed in co-pending European Patent Application No. EP 0 851 703 A3. A copy of this search report is enclosed.

The Examiner is respectfully requested to review, and to mark as considered, the references listed on the attached form PTO-1449, to make them of record in the

present application and to include them in the "References Cited" section of any patent to issue on the present application.

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Respectfully submitted,

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